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revise the following paragraph:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

Applicant claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 of German Application No. 199 31 902.2 filed July 8, 1999. Applicant also claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 365 of PCT/EP00/05519 filed June 15, 2000. The international application under PCT article 21(2) was not published in English.--